BULLETIN NEWS LETTERS FROM ITS BROADENING FIELD

LETTERS FROM TOWNS IN TWO STATES

The Business and Social Life of Every Town and Settlement Reflected in These Columns.

NEW LONDON COUNTY. FRANKLIN.

Interesting Happenings of the Week Returned Home a Week Before Hatel Burned-Mrs. Gager to Leave for

Miss Reba Race, daughter of Post-master A. R. Race, has been sick thing week with typhoid fever, but is better

now.

Charles Lilley of New Hampshire is at his home in Franklin for a few

Mrs. C. H. Lathrop and Mrs. F. H. Race attended church in Taftville last

Race attended church in Taftville last
Sunday morning.

Mirs. Lewis is able to be out again
after a sickness of several weeks.
Frank B. Greenslit was a visitor in
Norwich on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Simpson and
daughter Doris of Yanite were the
quests of Mr. Simpson's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. J. D. Simpson, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Manning and
son Eugene, Miss Annie Parke and
Miss Mather of Yantic were the guests
of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Aver one day
the early part of this week.

Concrete Bridge for Trolley.

Concrete Bridge for Trolley. The Connecticut company are build-ing a concrete bridge on their trolley line over the highway near Gager's crossing. The old bridge was of wood id had become unsafe. Mrs. O. L. Johnson is the guest of

relatives in New Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lamb entertained on Thursday of last week Mrs. Emma Warren and James Caldwell.

Miss Maud Davies returned in Hartford on Monday after spending a fewdays with Mrs. I., A. Robinson at Mountain View. relatives in New Haven.

Mountain View.

Abiel T. Browning has purchased a

Operated On for Appendicitis. William Lilley was taken to the Wil-limantic hospital lest Monday suffer-ing with an attack of appendicition, where it was found that an operation was necessary. He was resting com-fortably on Friday. Fishing Trip.

Maxwell Steere of Norwich spent one day the early part of this week in town on a fishing trip, the guest of Jerry Mahoney Appointed Delegates to Norwich Conference.

Deacon Lavius A. Robinson, Miss E. I. Smith and Miss Lydia Johnson were appointed delegates from the Frankin Congregational church to the missionary conference to be held at the Park church in Norwich next Monday.

Notes.

Arthur Simpson of Norwich spekt inday with his great-aunt, Mrs.

William Brasell is having his house william Brassil is having his house and buildings painted, the work being done by George Miner. Mr. Brassil's farm is known as the Dr. Nott place. Fred L. Swift and daughter, Mise Hazel R. Swift, of Williamitic spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Hyde at Hillion. at Hilltop.

Arthur Tillinghast of Plainfield was calling on local friend.

calling on local friends one day the early part of this week. Spoke on Work in China.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Larrabee of Norwich attended the C. E. meeting at the Harvey has been making his official visits to the different schools in town. vening. Mrs. Larrabee spoke on the missionary work in China. Mr. Larrabee sang a golo.

Local Notes Louis Ortmann of Norwich was the guest of Lloyd R. Robinson over Sun-Miss Lillian Manning and Miss Ethe

Manning of Norwich Town were the guests of local relatives on Sunday. Mise Faith N. Gager was a guest at Leffingwell, who was among the contributed from the Kenilworth Inn in Asheville, N. C. during the pass two months, but had returned home about one week before this hotel was totally destroyed by fire with a slight shock. Later in the a week ago.
Marvin Bailey and family of Nor-

wich spent one day this week at their summer home, Wildwood. The road leading flyough Whippoorwill Hollow is in a very bad condi-

tion.
Messra Affred Manning of Norwich Town, A. T. Sterry of Norwich and Herbert Manning of Willimantic spent one day recently in town calling on

work. Fred Lilley ima hired Fred Race's Church Being Painted.

The Frankin church is being painted by Messra Frank Greenslit. Clifford Robinson and Lloyd Rebinson.
Addison Rockwood is having a versida built sround his house on Meetinghouse Hill.

Amutus Abundant.

A large number visited Scott orchard during the past two weeks in search of trailing arouts. It is very abundant.
Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Hyde spent Sunday with the former's brother, Contable S. N. Hyde.
Lavius A. Robinson was a Norwich visitor on Wednesday.

Will Go to Wyoming. Mrs. Hermon A. Gager expects to start for Wroming May 6 to join her husband, who is employed at carpenter on the construction of a large dam at Inez, Wyo. Mrs. Gager will visit her son Harry at Mobely, Mo., on her way west, where she will spend the sum-

Norwich Wednesday on business.

Tame Deer. A party of young people who were returning home from Scott orchard last Sunday came up to within thirty feet of five deer. They appeared very tame and were not afraid of the party. Miss Faith N. Gager is visiting friends in Providence, R. I.

Lloyd R. Robinson was a Willimantie visitor on Thursday, Carda from Germany.

Swernl people in the north part of the/f-wn have received postcards bear-ing the likeness of Arthur M. Abell of Byrlin, Germany, Mr. Abell is a vio-lisist of considerable note and has spent the past twenty years in Ger-He was born in Pleasure Hill in this town.

Twenty-Two Trout. Louis Ortmann of Norwich spent Thursday on several of the Franklin brooks where trout can be found. Mr. Oriman returned home in the evening after having his usual good luck by securing twenty-two good sized ones.

Spring Work Well Along. Nearly all of the farmers have their spring work well under way. Oats are sowed and many early gardens started. The recent rains have made the pas-tures look green. Several farmers have purchased gasoline engines dur-ing the past year to ald them in their

SALEM.

Prizes for Sunday School Pupils-Lightning Kills a Cat-Play Being Rehearsed by Grange-Personals.

Rev. Mr. Stone of Westchester preached very acceptably at the Con-gregational ghurch Sunday morning evening.

The superintendent of the Sunday

The superintendent of the Sunday school, Henry A. Rogers, at a recent session of the school awarded prizes to the following members of the school for perfect attendance during the first quarter of the present year; Mrs. F. R. Balley, Ernest Beebe, Charles Clark, Lawrence Beebe and Floyd Bailey.

A severe thunder storm passed over this section early Monday evening, following a day unusualy warm for the lowing a day unusualy warm for the season. The lightning was vivid and affected the telephones. A kitten be-longing to Miss Katie Allen was struck

The Southern New England Tele-phone company recently extended its line to Hillside farm, connecting it with the New London division.

Back to the Old Home. Orrin Browning and family of New London moved last Friday to their newly purchased home here. The place which Mr. Browning has purchased was the home of his childhood.

Robert A. Balley is recovering from his severe illness, and is able to be about en pleasant days. Mrs. Balley also is much improved.

on Sunday.

Edward Fargo has joined his parents in New London, after spending several months with his grandparents, Mr. and months with his grandparents, Mr. and D. W. Jonkins.

Companya.

evening dimeting followed, muster by greening and William Smiddy prompting.

Saturday evening a number of viscous more present, among them a delegation. Mrs. B. W. Jenkins.
Misses Amy and Alice Rix spent several days last week with their sister, Mrs. Charles Malona.

Floyd and Allen Flotcher were guests of their cousin, Clyde A. Ray, during

the week. Nathaniel L. Clark was in Colches-ter on Saturday. Charles Staplins last week moved to part of Joshua Chark's residence. Fred and Edwin Harris called on friends in Colchester recently.

William Maynard and Charles Malo-na were in Colchester Saturday even-

Charles Tinker of New London visited friends in town during the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Alva Morgan were guests of friends at Crystal Spring farm this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Bailey were guests of Mrs. M. R. Siegfried recent-

E. J. Standish, Charles S. Ray and Miss Kittle Rix were in Colchester

LEFFINGWELL.

Visitor Taken Seriously III-Last Singing School at Home of Charles Rathbun.

Sunday morning after the services at the First Baptist church, Mrs. Harriet afternoon she felt better and was tak-en to her home at East Great Plain, where she is seriously iil.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Palmer and Miss

Ruth Palmer were guests at John Post's Sunday. Close of Singing Season,

Last week Friday the fast singing chool was held at the home of Charles Rathbun. A large number was pres-ent, Refreshments were served dur-Fostmaster A. R. Race is beving his house and buildings painted. Edward house and buildings painted. Edward made a speech and presented a sum of money to the singing master, Frank

> Elmer Maine spent Sunday at his home in Ledyard C. M. Geisthardt has moved his saw mili to Palmerrown.

PENDLETON HILL.

Death of Mrs. Ephraim Maine-New Organ Will Be Purchased for Church.

Miss Eimina Thompson and friend Miss Whitaker, were at Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson's over the week, Wev, J. H. Adams preached at Ashwillet Sunday afternoon. He was ac-companied by Deason E. E. Coon. Mrs. Amos Palmer has returned aft-

er a short visit with her daughter in The weekly prayer meeting was held

at John Geer's this week Friday eve- day grip.

Mr. Almy was entertained at M. O. | "pend the s his cusiom.

Chapman's Sanday.

Malcolm Thompson has parchased pair of iron grey horses

Merrick Watson is at his home here Deacon E. E. Coon is in Westerly today, getting a new organ for the

John Newton has returned from a Louise Thompson is at home

Colds are prevalent in this vicinity. News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Ephraim Maine. She was a sister of the late Benjamin Thompson. Thomas Wheeler was in Mystic on

Wednesday, called there by the illness of his mother.

GARDNER LAKE.

Neighborhood Nates.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Powigrew of Groton visited relatives Sun Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Burdick were in town Tuesday.

Clinton Eldredge of Groton called on friends Sunday. J. B. Carpenter, Jr., of Brooklyn as the guest of Orrin Gardner on

Tuesday.

Miss Celia Toporofsky of Hoboken, N. J. is with her parents.
William Parkinson of Niantic called on relatives and friends Tuesday. Governor Brown of North Stoning-ton visited friends a few days ago.

UNCASVILLE Socials of Pequot Council, K. of C .-Officers Chosen by Baptist Sunday ichool-Child Injured by Exploding Torpedo-Fishing Party.

W. Mercer and daughter, of Pequot, recently salled for Liverpool, and will spend several months traveling. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Babbitt and children of Hanover were at the home of Mr. Babbitt's sister, Mrs. Charles Burgess, in Palmertown.

Burgess, in Palmertown.

Mrs. Elvira Douglass, who has been occupying rooms in the house with her daughter, Mrs. W. Irving Browning, left town Friday for Niantle, where she will live with another daughter, Mrs. L. P. Movan.

she will live with another daughter,
Mrs. J. P. Morgan.
Oxoboxo lodge, F. and A. M., held a
largely attended meeting Friday evening. A baked bean supper was served
after the business meeting.
Charles Burgers, employed in Decum,
was at his home in Palmertown over Mrs. Charles Woodbury, a recent guest of Oakdale friends, has returned to Brooklyn, N. Y.

K. of C. Entertainment.

The following programme was given at the social and dance Friday and Saturday evenings by Pequot council, Knights of Colombus, in Robertson's hall: Friday evening—Hanjo duet, William Buras and George Pratt; slackwire walking, George N. Wood; vocal solo, Miss Loretta Henogan; buck and wing dance, Frank Parent; son, Messrs. Rheaume and Dupathy.

also is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kilroy and daughter. Miss Sibyl Kilroy, of Yantic, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Bailey on Sunday.

Edward Fargo has joined his parents in New London, after spending several months with bis granding several months with bis granding several spending several spending several spending dimeting followed, music by spending with bis granding several spending or exchange dimeting followed.

itors were present among them a delegation from Fort H. G. Wright base-ball team, with which the Knights played several games last year. After ne social a busines meeting was held y the members in Hickey's half, at bleb arrangements were made for an-

oter season's games. Officers of Ladies' Aid Society.

At the last meeting of the Ladies' Aid Fociety of the Methodist church, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Sweet, the reand Alice Rix were guests of friends in New London last week.

Mrs. T. Hunt Sterry of New London is in town for a few days.
Deacon G. F. Allyn spent Monday calling on Colchester friends.

Grange Rehearsing Dance.

The storm of Tuesday evening prevented the regular meeting of the Salem Grange. The members of the Grange are rehearsing a drama, "The Obstinate Family," which they expect to present at Grange hall.

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William Maynard and Charles Main a were least of the Grange are rehearsing to the Methodist church, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Sweet, the reports of the officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. William Noble; first vice president, Mrs. Robert Barlow; secretary, Mrs. Charles Hope; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Ramage; directresses, Mrs. Richard Johnson, Mrs. Charles F. Bartlett, Mrs. Charles Watsen, Mrs. Louis G. Newton; chaplain, Mrs. S. F. Maine, Refreshments were served by the president, Mrs. Robert Barlow; secretary, Mrs. Charles Ramage; directresses, Mrs. Richard Johnson, Mrs. Charles F. Bartlett, Mrs. Charles Watsen, Mrs.

school Descon Edwin S. Henry, recenty appointed superintendent to succeed Miss Eloise Landphere, presented his resignation. After considerable bal-Miss Edoise Landphere, presented his resignation. After considerable balloting Miss Alice Hooper was elected superintendent and Mrs. Fred I. Phillips assistant superintendent. Other officers were chosen as follows: Secretary, Miss Maude Wood; organist, Miss Gladys Latimer; home secretary, Mrs. Norman Alice.

Mrs. Norman Allen: Various Local Items.

Mrs. F. A. Woodworth of Hartford is ne guest of her brother, Gilbert P.

crated and the wood work painted. Threw Stones at Railroad Torpedo. The 6 year old child of Mrs. Mitchell road track, where he found a railroad torpedo. Throwing stones at it, he finally succeeded in exploding it. He was near enough for several pieces to

eirlke him in the face, lacerating it badly. Upon returning home his wounds were attended to and he is recovering. News from All Points.

The first quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal charch, at which the presiding elder, Rev. J. H. New-land, was present, was held Wednesday

night at the parsonage.
Frank E. Mitchell, C. E. Sweet and a number of friends enjoyed a sail in Mr. Mitchell's power boat off Block Island. of good size, also about thirty had- Lantern Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welssman of ew York are spending a while with datives in Oakdale. During their stay

lice to locate.
Miss Serrha Graham, who has been spending a few days with friends in Pequot, returned to Willimantic Mon-

Captain Nathaniel Comstock has Miss Louise Thompson is sick with saunched his sloop and intends to spend the summer wouths, as has been

SOUTH LYME.

Items Chiefly Personal. Mrs. J. W. Roath and daughter are

ited relatives in North Stonington last

week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McDonald visited
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Payne Sunday.
Mrs. Thomas Stanton and daughter.
Nora, and Duell Bradley visited relatives in Dayville Sunday.

Miss Nita Stebbins of East Lyme
has been the guest of her cousin, Miss

Mrs. David Champion, Jr., is among ose who are ill. Mrs. S. C. Ebbleston is visiting relatives in North Stonington.

Fred Maurice of Philadelphia is the guest of F. C. Payne.

CAMPBELL'S MILLS.

Monday morning Mrs. Hannah Dixon fell and dislocated her hip. Mrs. Dixon is nearly 78 years old. H. M. Wilcox is laid up with rheu-

S. W. Barber is working for S. L. Foxes are destroying all of the pontry on the Wylle farm. try on the Wylle farm.

Deer are numerous and very trouble-

OLD MYSTIC.

Revival Services at Baptist Church in Charge of Rev. C. K. Flanders— Knights of St. Paul Hold Interesting

A series of revival services opened Sunday morning at the Baptist church under the leadership of Rev. C. K. Flanders, the state evangelist. The services have been impressive and up-lifting and have been well attended despite the rainy weather.

Castle Mystic Held Conclave.

The Knights of King Arthur, Castle Mystic, 1321, held their twenty-second regular conclave last Friday night in their regular castle hall. At this meeting Merlin Gallup gave the first of a series of talks on Chemistry and Electricity, with illustrative experiments. At the previous meeting a dehate was held on the subject: Resolved, That the advantages of a trolley to Mystic would overweigh its disadvantages. John L. Hood took the place of one of the appointed speakers who was absent. The affirmative was place of one of the appointed speakers who was absent. The affirmative was upheld by Paul B. Lamphere and John L. Hood, and the negative by Everett Johnson and Calvin H. Hoxle, Jr. The debate was won by the negative.

Mrs. Fannie Chapman Lamb and daughter, Miss Fannie Maria Lamb of Ledyard, were calling Sunday on their aunt and cousin, Mrs. Catherine P. Chipman and daughter, Miss Lillian Chipman and daughter, Miss Lillian Pendleton Chipman, at Brushwood. Mr. and Mrs. Allie T. Fitch were guests Sunday of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Holdredge. Mrs. Charles Q. Eldredge of River-view left early Thursday morning for Groton, Mass, having been summoned

there on account of the serious illness of her father.

at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Maria Jones of New London. Mrs. Edward Campbell has been con-fined to the house this week by ill-

yard were guests of their son and daughter, Mr. thd Mrs. John Wil-

llam Shank.

John W. Burrows is slowly recovering from grip and other ailments.

Mrs. John C. Spofford and daughter Thelma of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of her parents. Mr and Mrs. Charles Edward Stapelyn of Burnett's Corners.

Dr. E. C. Chipman and Mrs. Chipman of New London as a special of Mrs. man of New London are guests of Mrs. Chipman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben-jamin F. Crumb.

Adelia Kenyon has returned from a visit to her son-in-law and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Aldaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Al-pen of Stonington borough. Rev. C. K. Flanders is being enter-tained by Rev. and Mrs. Jeptha M. Olmstead at the Baptist parsonage.

LEDYARD.

Birthday Cake for Grange on Second
Anniversary — Oxen Bring High
Prices—Brief Locals.

Ledyard Grange held its regular meeting on Saturday evening, the second anniversary of the Grange, with Billings T. Avery, master, in the chair. The lecturer's hour was in charge of the lecturer, Mrs. Lizzle Colver, who missioners have patiently and faithful fully considered all the evidence given and caused much mirth. All James E. Murphy, the principal, returned Sunday night from his home in Dover, N. H., where he spent the vacation.

The insurance agency in which the property of Mrs. Jared Bolles was insured at the time of its burning has effected a satisfactory settlement of damage. The cottage, which was formerly occupied by Reuben Bolles, was so badly damaged by fire that what is remaining of it is to be torn down.

Mother Goose, and nearly all responding in the evidence filed a motion given at the Pomona grange held in Norwich April 15. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cook of Norwich grange were present and stoke, as did also Mr. and Mrs. Chaunch and Mrs. Sarah H. Main, Miss Eliza Main, and Miss Cora I. Main of North Stonington grange, and Mr. remaining of it is to be term down.

The interior of the Montville Center Congregational church is to receive alterations. The colling will be re-dectured for the colling will be re-dectured for the evening was a birthday cake, presented by Mrs. Colver, with two lighted candles on it. The cake was cut and distributed to all.

Home from Stonington. Grand Juror Zachary Pierce has returned home after an absence of three weeks, during which he has been building a store for Charles S. Bennett of

iting out of town, returned home Mon-

Preparing Cottage for Help.

Charles Geer, who recently moved to the Isaac W. Geer farm from Norwich, is having a shop on the premises al-tered into a cottage for the use of his

Mrs. Julia Cromwell and son of Dodgeville, N. V., are visiting the for-mer's mother, Mrs. Sarah H. Main, at Samuel L. Main and family of Mystic held at the house Friday at 11 o'clock, ive moved to se Stanton Main farm. Burial will be made in Union cemehave moved to re Stanton Main farm.

Miss Alice Bishop of Bozrah was an over Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bil-

lings T. Avery. Oxen in Demand.

Oxen seem to be in demand. Many pairs have changed owners this spring. This week Charles Maynard and Joseph Clark each sold a pair, and Enos M. Gray has sold a pair to Charles Maynaro. They are bringing high prices. Miss Eiolse White, who has been spending the Easter vacation at the home of her parents. Rev. and Mrs. W. E. White has returned to her duties. White, has returned to her duties as

Miss Margaret Allyn, who has been confined to her bed with rheumatism, Fred Burton is spraying trees for

Senator William I. Allyn.
A. W. Harvey of Stonington was in town Thursday morning.

Enos M. Gray has returned from a business trip to New York state.

Mrs. Issac H. Cook and Mrs. Lumon Smith of Norwich were guests at tea last Saturday afternoon of Mrs. Henry P. Karoli of Edgewood farm, Ledyard

While there they gathered arbutus. Talk on Turkish Missions.

Mrs. Usher, daughter of Rev. Mr. Barrows of Stonington, who has been a missionary in Turkey, gave an address on the manner and customs of the Turkish people at the residence of Mrs. John M. Gray on Thursday afternoon. Her talk was very the stone of the ernoon. Her talk was very

James H. Belden of Locust Grove was a business caller at Gales Ferry on Wednesday. The annual election of officers of the missionary society was held on day. The officers were re-elected, Mrs.
Anna Callup of Norwich president,
Mrs. Isaac Chapman, vice president;
Mrs. John M. Gray, secretary and

WHAT MUNSEY HAS DONE FOR NEW

Judge Wheeler Sustains the County Commissioners in Refusing a License to George P. Salter-Frank Valentine Chappell Chairman of Regatta Committee-Police Department . eeds no Prodding-Fart of Gas House Lot Sold-Rev. Howard Colby Ives-The Brigade of Boosters

Although a non-resident, Frank A. Munsey of magazine fame, has done as much, if not more for the benefit of New London and the people there of than any regular resident. He has erected the most magnificent building in the city, in fact the only one that gives it a real metropolitan appearance. It is a building constructed of the best materials and was built without regard to expense. Erected originally for the manufacture of his many publications, Mr. Munsey concluded to devote it to other purposes. He converted it into a hotel that equalled any in the state and, not attisfied with that achievement, he is now having the interior entirely remodelled, and, at an expense of over \$200.00c, he proposes to have the Mohican rank with the best hotels in all New England. The changes made by Mr. Munsey have given employment to many local works given employment to many local works given employment to many local works.

Although a non-resident, Frank A. Munsey cand not meas man of experience and thorough ness man of experience and thorough the manufacture of brase goods, the lessees to copiege boat racing on the Thames, the best being given the privilege of final purchase. This will add an entirely new line to copiege boat racing on the Thames, the best being given the privilege of final purchase. This will add an entirely new line to copiege boat racing on the Thames, the best being given the privilege of final purchase.

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This will add an entirely new line to copied knowledge of local conditions connected with the cate arrangements.

He succeeds Charles Schurppe of Charles Schurppe of Charge, who has made himself very unpopular, locally, by his autocratic machine the industrial building has been one of the successful hobbies of the successful hobbi The changes made by Mr. Munsey have given employment to many local work, men, and in the tearing-out process high grade material is sold at a low price enabling the purchasers to use it in other construction work to their benefit and to the encouragement of the building trade. A really first-class hotel is of incalculable benefit to New Landon.

there on account of the serious illness of her father.

Miss Mabei Adelia Haley is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Maria fones of New London.

Mrs. Edwapd Camphell has been consisted to the house this week by illness.

Mrs. Emilie Spencer of Mystic was the guest Wednesday and Thursday of Mrs. George G. Welles at Lake villa.

Miss Maude Tinker is recovering from a severe grip cold.

Mrs. and Mrs. William Shiank of Ledward Were guests of their son and laughter. Mr. and Mrs. John Wilpartments.

After a full and careful hearing and mature deliberation upon the appeal case of George T. Salter from the action of the county commissioners in refusing to grant a liquor license on the ground that Salter was an unsult able person. Judge Rauph Wheeler the ground that Salter was an unsult able person, Judge Ralph Wheeler has dismissed the appeal. The judge declares that the commissioners' action was not unjust or arbitrary and within their limit of power, and, rased upon the evidence, he found that Salter was an unsultable person to be illeranced.

In the trial of this case ex-Gov. Waller testified that he considered Salter as good a man as there was in New London county, and Thomas T. Wetmore stated that he sold good goods, and other witnesses gave evie in corroboration. The other was told evidently by witnesses

Frank Valentine Chappell of New London, graduate of Yale and first sermeant of the Yale battery in the Spanish-American war, has been cho-sen chairman of the Yale-Harvard regatia committee for the race on the Thames course. He is in every way

CLARK'S FALLS.

New Road Machine-Troubles of an Automobile.

Ed Thompson and Howard Peabody are operating the road machine in this John O'Nell has returned to his home in Newport and his sister, So-

tonington.

Mrs. W. F. White, who has been visMrs. E. E. Main. J. Irving Maxon wife and daugh-er, and Mr. Maxon's sister, Mrs. ay afternoon, ter, and Mr. Maxon's sister Mrs. Rev. W. F. White preached to a good George Sheldon and daughter, Isabelle During the storm Monday night a size audience on Sunday morning. His large tree on the land of E. I. Browning was struck by lightning and torn Little Religion Are a Dangerous Thing. and they returned by trolley to West

Inspecting Roads.

erly. Hon, Frank H. Brown was here on Monday looking after the roads, as it his business as one of the selectmen.

Death of C. D. Miner. Charles D. Miner passed away at his home west of this village on Wednesday morning. The funeral will be

Mrs. Horace F. Palmer and son, S. Frank Paimer, were the guests of her sister, Mrs. George W. Burdick, and daughters, Flora and Evelyn, on Sun-

day. c. J. H. Adams is expected to preach in the chapel on Sunday.

LISBON.

Surprise Party and Presentation of Gift.

Miss Ethel Kennedy spent Saturday nd Sunday in Jewett City, Camille Case is visiting in Williman-Mrs. Rose Walden of Willimantic and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Webster of Jewett City visited Liss Alice E. Ken-

edy Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gaucher have loved from Greeneville to Blissville, John Heibel is able to be out again. Presented Gift. William McNeely was agreeably sur-prised at his home Saturday evening by 25 friends In behalf of his friends he was presented a stickpin. Refresh ments were served at 12 o'clock. Among those present were Miss May Brough

ton, Nelson Read and Frank Howard from Blissville and friends from New London. Gaines were placed. YAWBUX VALLEY.

George Clark and a friend from Barden Beaters met with Mrs C. H.

Thomas Could Could be a friend from Boundary Sunday guests of Mrs. Collins at Clark's Falls Thursday. Fred Franchell, who has spent the past month with his brother, has re-turned to Norwich, where he will be

That the police department needs no prodding to perform duty is shown by the studied and persistent way that they are gradually decreasing the source of crime that has been all too prevalent in New London. Within the past two months as the result of police

hotel is of incalculable benefit to New London.

Mr. Munsey, when he established a large department store in New London, revolutionized the merchandise business and to the benefit of the whole people. He has after getting the various grades of merchandise down to live-and-iet-live prices, gradually dropped some of these departments to give more room for hetel purposes, but retains those that are of the greatest benefit of the mass of the people—the grocery, meat and bakery departments.

People many large and the second on Within the past two months as the result of police raids, the places of ill-repute have all been weeded out of Bradley street except one and that is brooked for department in New London. Within the past two months as the result of police raids, the places of ill-repute have all been weeded out of Bradley street except one and that is brooked for department in New London. Within the past two months as the result of police raids, the places of ill-repute have all been weeded out of Bradley street except one and that is brooked for department. In most instances the inmates have been ordered to leave town, and the stranglers are being picked up ticketed wherever found. Last Saturday night half a dozen soiled doves were taken from the Park City cote, haled into the police court and given a few hours to plek up their dozen and the stranglers are being picked up ticketed wherever found. Last Saturday night half a dozen soiled doves were taken from the Park City cote, haled into the police court and given a few hours to pick up their dozen and the stranglers are being picked up the weeded out of Bradley street except one and that is brooked for department.

skedaddle. The keeper of the place was freed \$100.

The heads of the department have given orders to the polygemen to report immediately the roesting place of these gay birds, who show no inclination to reform. A record is being kept of their movements and it would be no surprise if the police made raids in unexpected places. The whereshouts in unexpected places. The whereabouts of nearly all this undesirable class is fairly well known, and their names and addresses are recorded in the police prospect book.

Ever since William B. Coit became udge of the police court he has by mposing heavy sentences been en-leavoring to break Jim Fitzgerald of he brutal hable of wife beating, but mless the last dose administered is unless the judge has not succeeded.
On Thursday of last week Fitzgerald completed a jail term of six months and also the working out of a fine of 550. He had hardly gained his freedom before he managed to get drunk and the day following he shied a dinner plate at the woman who was so unfortunate as to become his wife.
On Sunday he kicked and beat his wife. On Sunday he kicked and beat his wife again and would probably have done her permanent harm but for the timely and lively intervention of James, Jr. He rushed to the rescue of his mother, keeping his brutal father at bay until

the police came and took him away.

Judge Coit imposed a fine of \$100 and costs and sentenced Flizgerald to y witnesses six months in the county jail, thus escannections hablishing a record sentence for breach tablishing a record sentence for breach of the peace. Judge Colt expressed resourt into

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are at the Norwich state hospital, on Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. John Kenyon of Mystic were guests of Mrs. George Davis Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Peabody

Westerly were callers here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Chaunesy Richmond attended a meeting of the Ledyard attended a meeting of the Ledyard grange Saturday evening. Mrs. Charles Chapman and Mrs. Edwin White were callers at Henry Mattison's at Wequetequock Sunday

SCOTLAND. Special Church Services-Local Notes.

Church notices for the next four Church notices for the next four weeks include an address at the chapel by Rev. W. S. Beard of Willimantic Friday evening, April 22, on Christ's Faith in Men; address by Rev. J. W. Bixler, D. D., of New London, Wednesday evening. May 5th, and a promised address of L. L. West, D. D. which will probably be given during the following week. In addition to these extra services, the Windham County Conference of Congregational churches Conference of Congregational churches meets at Scotland for a forencen and afternoon session Tuesday, April 27th. Among the interesting features will be an address on Apportionment by Rev. W. S. Beard.

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The Woman's Missionary society met with a good attendance with Mrs. Charlotte Carey and Mrs. Helen Ashneed. At this meeting Mrs. Ashmead ead an article on Islam in China.

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LAUREL GLEN. Baptist Society to Organize Sunday day. School.

The Laurel Glen Baptist society wil organize its Sunday school here in the chapel next Sunday. Rev. E. P. Math-ewson will preach and hold communion service.
Mrs. N. T. Maine and Mas Ellen Maine made a business trip to North Stonington village this week. While there they called on Mrs. Fannie Geer

The prayer meeting at the home of W. I. Maine on Friday evening of last week was well attended. Friends of Charles Miner were crieved to hear of his death Wednesmorning. After several weeks' postponement

GRISWOLD.

employed.

Miss Anna L. Chapman and Mrs.
Dalaie Nason called on Mrs. Charles
Palmer and Mrs. Ellen Newton, who Charles Armstrong this season.

sistance of the board of trade or busi-ness men's association, is gradually coming to the fore and is destined to coming to the fore and is destined to give the city national industrial prom-inence. The company has built an entirely new plant, and much of the product is for government use. Mr. Forbes is in close business touch with congress by reason of his several need-ed and useful inventions of certain furnishings for government and other vessels.

His latest is an icemaking machine His latest is an icemaking machine which has aircady been satisfactorily tested by practical men, and the attention of the navy department has been called to the machine, and Mr. Forbes has received notice that a beard of navaj officers will soon visit the plant and put the machine to tests which, if they prove satisfactory will mean their adoption on soverment mean their adoption on government

essels. The working force of skilled mechanics is being gradually increased and it is expected that the force will be more than doubled within the next two months. Mr. Forbes is intensely interested in the advancement of New London, has membership in the board of trade and business men's association and is prominent in every effort made to increase the importance of the city. The infusion of new blood into the business life of New London has long been needed.

Rev. Howard Colby Ives, minister of All Souls' church, is a hustler in re-ligious and eudcational matters, and is active in all matters pertaining to the moral side of city life. Since his com-ing to New London a few years ago he has added materially to the church he has added materially to the church membership, has caused the purchase of church property and the letting of contracts for building a new church edifice. The people are indebted to Rev. Mr. Ives for the opportunity of hearing President Eliot of Harvard and Booker T. Washington. He will next week be in Philadelphia attend-ing the annual congress of the Naing the annual congress of the National Federation of Liberals, an entirely non-sectarian organization, embracing the liberals of all denominations. Sunday, May 2 he will preach for Dr. Silcer in All Souls' church, New York city.

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Although a busy church worker, he finds time to write interesting articles on public matters for the local newspapers. Mr. Ives seems to be a minister of and for the people and resorts to nearly all known proper methods to keep church work before the public, and is therefore very much in the limelight.

The Brigade of Boosters are doing much to boost New London Into Its He entitled to credit from the whole peowas the only bidder and offered \$1,000, pie, but they seem to have sidestepped a much larger sum than was expected, from the chief matter that would reas the citizens would have been just store New London to its former rank $n_{\rm S}$ well satisfied with the nominal sum as a seaside summer resort. Since the of \$1. The Industrial company had passing of the old Pequot house the aiready purchased a tract of land ad-joining but it was inadequate for the proposed industrial building.

Bids have been invited for contracts for the construction of the building, the bids being confined to local bidders. Its only the beginning of the loss of The building will be constructed with prestige of the city as a fashionable the least possible delay and as soon summer resort.

NORTH STONINGTON. Mrs. Catherine T. Maine's Death-Closing Fellowship Meeting-Newsy

William H. Coates and his daughter. Miss Minnte Coates, are spending a fortnight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hewitt. Mr. Coates has so far rallied from the paralysis with which he was stricken early in the winter as

to take a daily outing in a wheel

Death of Mrs. Catherine T. Maine. Mrs. Catherine Thompson Maine of this village, widow of Ephralm W. Maine, died Tuesday morning, April 20, at the home of her oldest daughter, Mrs. Arnold, in Providence, Mrs. Maine went to Providence in November to pass the winter, and in February was stricken with the illness from which she never railied. She was born near Pendicton Hill March 3, 1826, the oldest of the five children of Aaron and Elmina (York) Thompson. In 1846 her marriage took place and her subhes sequent life was spent in the southern part of the town. She was a devoted and useful member of the Third Bap-

tist church. Genial and social, she was beloved by a large circle of friends who mourn her death. She is survived by her seven chilin town Sunday.

M. E. Boothe, the new Scotland blacksnith, and family moved into the house recently occupied by William Drury, and her son-in-law, Rev. F. T. Watson. Mr. Watson is living on his

Fellowship Meeting.

The last of the season's series of fellowship meetings was held with the local Congregational church Wednezday. The sermon was preached by Rev G. B. Spaulding, Jr., of the Road district. At noon a fine dinner was served by the ladies of the entertaining church. While this was in recommended. ing church. While this was in progress Rev. F. M. Hollister, pastor-elect of the church, and Mrs. Hollister arrived. They were greeted by the rising of all present and a general clapping of hands. The afternoon service was a free conference, participated in by a number of clergymen and laymen

Briefs and Personals. Mrs. D. F. Chapman is ill with pleu-Mrs. Traula M. Maine has been ill for time with an affection of the

Ellsworth Perry has moved from the B. P. Wheeler farm into the village.
Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Hollister of
Cronwell spent Wednesday night with
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Avery. Mr. Hollister will begin bis pestorate with the
Congregational church May 2.

There seems nothing left for General Castro to do but go to Africa. We do not doubt that he would be permitted to land at Mombass.—Housten Post.